

## Ashanti Hamilton

City of Milwaukee Common Council

May 30, 2019

**President Hamilton** (414) 286-3272

## Special election ordered to fill 13<sup>th</sup> District Council seat

**Common Council President Ashanti Hamilton** today issued an order for the Election Commission to schedule a special election on Tuesday, August 13, 2019 to fill the 13<sup>th</sup> District Aldermanic seat vacated (today) by retiring Alderman Terry L. Witkowski.

Candidates can begin collecting nomination signatures immediately. A minimum of 200 and maximum of 400 verified district resident signatures must be turned in to the Election Commission by 5 p.m. on Tuesday, June 18 in order for a candidate's name to appear on the ballot. Candidates running for office must also register with the Election Commission prior to raising or spending campaign funds. Additional information on running for office is available on the Election Commission's website at **Milwaukee.Gov/Election**.

A primary – if necessary – will be held on Tuesday, July 16.

The election winner will serve the remainder of the unexpired term that will expire on April 20, 2020.



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